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Via Electronic Filing

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW, Room TWB-204  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, CC Docket No. 96-45

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Wednesday, October 1, 2003, Joel Lubin, Mark Lemler, and the undersigned, all of AT&T, met with Vickie Byrd, Eric Einhorn, Paul Garnett, Bill Scher, Cara Voth, and Elizabeth Yockus of the Telecommunications Access Policy Division of the Wireline Competition Bureau. Participating via conference call were Greg Fogleman of the Florida Public Services Commission, Joel Shifman of the Maine Public Utilities Commission, Larry Stevens of the Iowa Utilities Board, and Peter Bluhm of the Vermont Public Service Board. The purpose of this meeting was to discuss AT&T's proposal to limit High Cost Support to a single connection to a home or business. The views set forth were consistent with AT&T's comments and reply comments filed in the above-referenced proceeding.

One electronic copy of this Notice is being submitted to the Secretary of the FCC in accordance with Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Amy L. Alvarez".